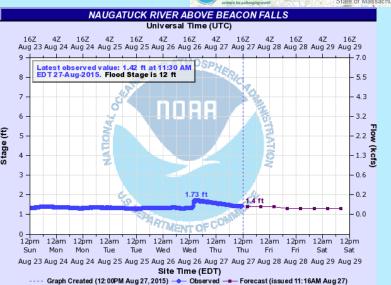


NERFC Expands Forecast Services Today to Include the Naugatuck River at Beacon Falls, CT (BEAC3)









BEAC3(plotting HGIRG) "Gage 0" Datum: 117.28'

- Located in SW CT with a drainage area of 260 mi².
- When BEAC3 = 12 ft (minor flood stage), flooding begins in the upstream towns of Waterbury and Naugatuck.
- BEAC3's record flood stage of 25.7 ft occurred on August 19th 1955.
- NWS Upton/NYC Weather Forecast Office is responsible for issuing river flood watches and warnings for BEAC3: http://www.weather.gov/okx